

REMARKS

This §312 Amendment submits the changes identified above and is further responsive in any manner indicated below.

PENDING CLAIMS

Claims 29-67 were allowed in this application as indicated at Item 2 in the Notice of Allowance attached to the Notice of Allowance dated August 10, 2006. Claims 29, 36-40, 47-51, 58-62, 64 and 66 are amended herein to correct minor informalities in the claims. These corrections are presented merely to adjust the clarity of Applicant's claims and are unrelated to any prior art or scope adjustment. No new matter is presented. At entry of this paper, Claims 29-67 remain allowed in this application.

RESERVATION OF RIGHTS

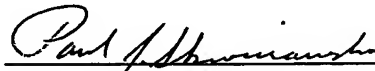
It is respectfully submitted that any and all claim amendments and/or cancellations submitted within this paper and throughout prosecution of the present application are without prejudice or disclaimer of any scope or subject matter. Further, Applicant respectfully reserves all rights to file subsequent related application(s) (including reissue applications) directed to any/all previously claimed limitations/features which have been subsequently amended or cancelled, or to any/all limitations/features not yet claimed, *i.e.*, Applicant continues (indefinitely) to maintain no intention or desire to dedicate or surrender any limitations/features of subject matter of the present application to the public.

CONCLUSION

This §312 Amendment is being submitted before payment of the Issue Fee and does not present any changes which would require further search, consideration or fees. Entry and approval of the minor corrections made herein are respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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